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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KURODA, Daisuke, et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1793

Serial No.: 10/535,422

Examiner: **ZHU, Weiping**

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For. **MEDICAL DEVICE FOR LIVING SOFT TISSUE AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION OF SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: July 16, 2009

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2009, for one month, from June 24, 2009, to July 24, 2009.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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